

going upon the land within said weed district at a reasonable time and for a lawful purpose of the weed district, is guilty of a misdemeanor.

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CHAPTER 251.

[H. B. 326.]

STATE RESIDENTIAL SCHOOLS—TRAINING CENTER AGREEMENTS.

AN ACT relating to mentally or physically deficient persons; authorizing the director of institutions to enter into agreements for the payment of all, or a part of, the cost of the care, maintenance, support and training of mentally or physically deficient persons, accepted for admission to state residential schools, in day training centers or group training homes or a combination thereof which have been approved by the department; authorizing payments to be made by the department not in excess of one hundred dollars per month to supplement payment by parents or guardians of mentally or physically deficient persons; providing authorization to make rules and regulations for such supplementary payments and granting, denying or revoking certification of day training centers or group training homes or combinations thereof; authorizing determination of type and extent of care and training and payments therefor; defining terms and adding four new sections to chapter 28, Laws of 1959 and to chapter 72.33 RCW; and providing for the expiration of the act on July 1, 1963.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Washington:

SECTION 1. There is added to chapter 28, Laws of 1959 and to chapter 72.33 RCW a new section to read as follows:

New section.

The director of the department of institutions is hereby authorized to enter into agreements with any person, corporation or association operating a day training center or group training home or a combination thereof approved by the department

Contracts for care of persons admitted to state residential schools. Authorized.

for the payment of all, or a portion of the cost of the care, maintenance, support and training of mentally or physically deficient persons accepted for admission to a state residential school as hereinafter provided.

For the purpose of this act the terms "day training center" and "group training home" shall have the following meanings:

"Day training center" defined.

(1) "Day training center" shall mean a facility equipped, supervised, managed and operated at least three days per week by any person, association or corporation on a nonprofit basis for the day-care, training and maintenance of mentally or physically deficient persons accepted for admission to state residential schools, and approved in accordance with this act and the standards of the department of institutions as set forth in the rules and regulations to be promulgated by the director.

"Group training home" defined.

(2) "Group training home" shall mean a facility equipped, supervised, managed and operated on a full time basis by any person, association or corporation on a nonprofit basis for the full time care, training and maintenance of mentally or physically deficient persons accepted for admission to a state residential school, and approved in accordance with this act and the standards of the department of institutions as set forth in rules and regulations to be promulgated by the director.

New section.

SEC. 2. There is added to chapter 28, Laws of 1959 and to chapter 72.33 RCW a new section to read as follows:

Payments for care, supplemental—Maximum.

All payments made by the department of institutions pursuant to this act shall be, insofar as possible, supplementary to payments to be made to a day training center or group training home or combination thereof by the parents or guardians of such mentally or physically deficient persons. Payments made by the director in accordance with the author-

ity of this act shall not exceed one hundred dollars per month for the care, support, maintenance and training of any mentally or physically deficient person at a day training center or group training home or combination thereof.

SEC. 3. There is added to chapter 28, Laws of 1959 and to chapter 72.33 RCW a new section to read as follows: New section.

Any person, corporation, or association may make application to the director of the department of institutions for approval and certification of the applicant's facility as a day training center, or a group training home for mentally or physically deficient persons or a combination of both. The director may either grant or deny certification or revoke certification previously granted after investigation of the applicant's facilities, to ascertain whether or not such facilities are adequate for the health, safety and the care, maintenance, training and support of mentally or physically deficient persons, in accordance with standards as set forth in rules and regulations to be promulgated by the director. Certification of facility as day training center or group training home.

SEC. 4. There is added to chapter 28, Laws of 1959 and to chapter 72.33 RCW a new section to read as follows: New section.

The parent or guardian of a mentally or physically deficient person who has been accepted for admission to a state residential school, may make application to the director of institutions for the payment of all, or a portion of, the monthly cost of care, maintenance, support and training of such mentally deficient person, in a day training center or a group training home or a combination thereof which has been approved by the department: *Provided*, That such cost shall not exceed one hundred dollars per month. The director, after investigation, may accept or reject the application, and, if accepted, shall determine the extent and type of care and training and Application for state aid.

Investigation upon acceptance of application.

the amount which the department will pay, not to exceed one hundred dollars per month, based upon the needs of such mentally or physically deficient person and the ability of the parent or the guardian to pay, or contribute to the payment of the monthly cost of such care and training. The director, may, upon application of such parent or guardian, after investigation of the ability or inability of such persons to pay, or without application being made, modify the amount of the monthly payments to be paid by the department of institutions for the care and training of such mentally or physically deficient persons at a day training center or group training home or combination thereof.

Subsequent modification.

Facilities to be nonsectarian.

SEC. 5. A day training center and a group training home as used in this act shall be a nonsectarian day training center and a nonsectarian group training home.

Expiration.

SEC. 6. This act shall be of no further force or effect on and after July 1, 1963.

Passed the House March 8, 1961.

Passed the Senate March 7, 1961.

Approved by the Governor March 20, 1961.

CHAPTER 252.

[H. B. 366.]

SCHOOL DISTRICT ELECTIONS—DATES.

AN ACT relating to school district elections.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Washington:

School district regular elections for officials, when.

SECTION 1. From and after the effective date of this section all regular elections held by any school district of any class for the election of any officials thereof shall be held on the second Tuesday of March in odd-numbered years.